

# BI "Save As" feature

The "Save As" feature shall provide the ability of saving the users current navigational state of a report, including filters, settings and drill down steps so that the user can produce the same report layout repeatedly without having to manually perform each step each time.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Use the "Save As" feature in BI to save formatted BI reports. Once a BI report is set up for a user's needs, he/she can save it and retrieve it again later to re-run for updated data. Or he/she can access the original report to filter further and run it for another set of parameters, saving it under a new file name.

### Steps

- 1 Activate the "Save As" feature. (Activation of this feature is required once upon initial use.)
  - Click on the My Documents Tab.



- This will activate the "Save As" feature.
- Later this tab will be used to retrieve saved reports (see Step 4).
- 2 | Create a report.
  - Select the Reports Tab.



Select a report, run it and make any adjustments by removing or adding data elements or by setting filters.

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# 3 Save your Report.

• Click on the "Save As" button located in upper left corner of the report.

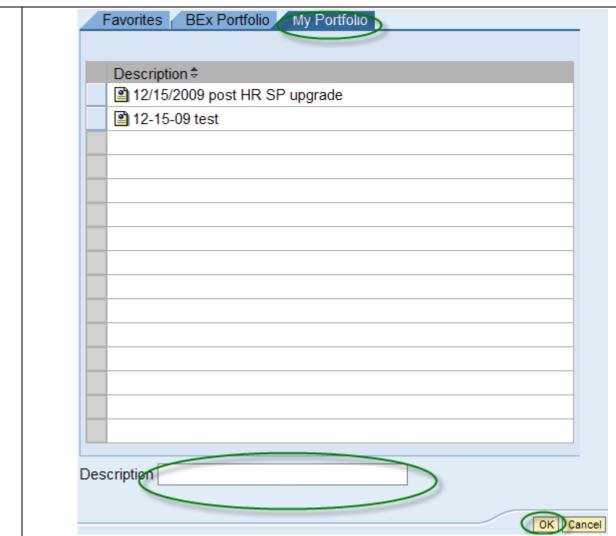
B0068: Labor Report

Save As... Display A

- Choose the "My Portfolio" tab.
- If the dialog box DOES NOT contain the My Portfolio tab. Please go back and complete Step 1.

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- Type the name of the report in the box at the bottom of the screen marked "Description."
- Click OK.

When this feature is available in Production, BEACON will provide suggested naming conventions that will allow users control and access their "Saved As" reports.

4 Retrieve your saved Report.

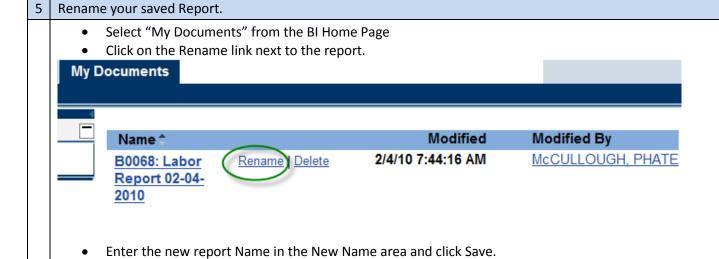
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- Select "My Documents" from the BI Home Page.
- Click on the report name.

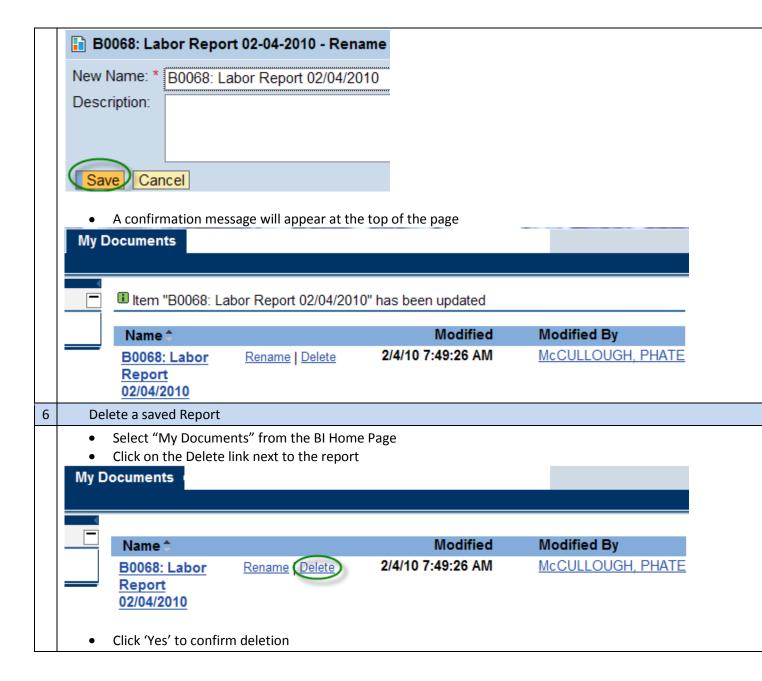


- The BI report that you saved (in step 3) is then displayed in a new browser window. The data is the same dat retrieved when the report was last saved.
- Filter the report, and run it again to update the data or run it for another position or employee.
- **IMPORTANT NOTE:** Be sure to save the new report with a different name if the intent is to retain the original report in the My Documents listing. Otherwise, the original will be overwritten.



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### **Confirm Deletion**

Are you sure you want to delete the item "B0068: Labor Report 02/04/2010"?



- A confirmation message will appear at the top of the page. If there is more than one report, the count at the bottom of the screen will also update.
- Ill Item "B0068: Labor Report 02/04/2010" has been deleted
- 7 Refresh the My Documents tab
  - Click on the small button in the upper right corner. This will open a context menu.
  - Select Refresh. This will refresh the display to show the most recent changes.

My Documents

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6-08-09 another test Rename | Delete 6/8/09 12:13:10 PM

Open in New Wind Refresh Details

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